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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

Fire at works of a coal mining company, at Caperton, Va., caused a loss of $35,000. —— German cruiser Vineta sailed from Newport News for Venezuela. —— Forces of the provisional government of Hayti were defeated in a battle on the 17th inst. —— U. S. Minister Conger reports that China is on the verge of another Boxer uprising. —— Negro who assaulted a white woman near Marshfield, Oregon, and who was under arrest, was lynched by a mob yesterday. —— The nude body of a young woman who had been murdered, was found in a canal near Jersey City. —— The Peary Arctic Club's relief steamer, with Lieutenant Robert E. Peary on board, has arrived at Sydney, N. S., from Greenland. ——Schooner Dora Matthew wrecked off Chatham, Mass., will be a total loss; captain and crew were saved. —— Emigration fever among the Jews of Roumania continues. —— A naval battle between the Venezuelan government vessels and the revolutionists is reported. ——An injunction has been granted to prevent the prize fight between McGovern and Corbett at Louisville, Ky. —— The submarine cable which is to join the United States and Hawaii has been completed. —— It is denied that Colombia intends to declare war againsst Venezuela. ——New York markets: Money on call was firm at 6@9 per cent.; cotton quiet at 9c.; flour quiet and a shade lower to sell; wheat—spot easier, No. red 73¼c; corn—spot easy; No. 2 72c; oats—spot dull, No. 2 32½c.; rosin steady; spirits turpentine firm at 49½c.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE,
WEATHER BUREAU,
WILMINGTON, N. C., Sept. 18.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M.:

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 59 degrees; 8 P. M., 67 degrees; maximum, 76 degrees; minimum, 59 degrees; mean, 67 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall since 1st of month to date, 3.15.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, Sept 18.—For North Caeolina: Showers Friday, cooler in western portion; Saturday fair; light to fresh winds mostly east.

Port Almanac—September 19.

Sun Rises	5.42 A. M.
Sun Sets	6.05 P. M.
Day's Length	12 H. 19 M.
High Water at Southport	8.35 A. M.
High Water Wilmington	11.05 A. M.

With 287 "beneficent" trusts in this country why shouldn't we be happy?

Ginger snaps and lemonade were served to the callers at President Roosevelt's Sagamore reception.

They haven't got to wearing anthracite coal for jewelry yet in Chicago, but some sold there a few days ago for $25 a ton, and a lot more for $20.

A citizen of Pottsville, Pa., the other day discovered a chunk of coal in his back yard, and the whole neighborhood rushed in to congratulate him.

And the Alabama Republican State convention, too, shut the colored brother out, and Senator Pritchard was there to show them how to do it with celerity.

Mr. A. S. Hewitt, of New York, is a director in one of the Pennsylvania anthracite mines. Possibly this will account for his swipes at the strikers and defence of the mine operators.

Michael Stuckendorfer passed through Kansas City a few days ago, for Oklahoma, where he proposed to establish a colony, which consisted of sixteen sons, two daughters and a little regiment of grand-children.

A Scranton, Pa., item states that "a poetess of passion" in that town, the mother of four children, had eloped with a striking miner, the father of seven children. But interest in the announcement is somewhat diminished by the failure to state whether the eleven kids eloped with them.

Wm. S. Stratton, the millionaire Colorado miner, died a few days ago worth $14,000,000. He was a carpenter by trade, but he got into some trouble in Jefferson, Ind., the town he was reared in, and struck out for the West. His capital when he struck Colorado was a kit of tools. He worked at his trade, took occasional spurts at prospecting, finally struck it rich and quit the carpentering business.

"Boss" Shepherd, who died a few days ago in Arizona, was the man who transformed the city of Washington from a slouchy cross-roads town to a magnificent city. He spent about $40,000,000 in a few years, and caused such a furor by his alleged extravagance, if not worse, that he left the city under a cloud and went to Arizona, where after many ups and downs he made a large fortune in gold mining.

RECONCILIATION IN CUMBERLAND RANKS.

Correspondent Writes His Impressions of the Convention at Fayetteville on Wednesday—Love Feast Affair.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C., Sept. 17.—The spirited but friendly contest for the organization and control of the Democratic County Convention yesterday between the prohibition Democrats and the anti-prohibition Democrats resulted in an overwhelming victory for the former, which the latter accepted gracefully. The test of the relative strength of the two factions was the vote upon the adoption of the majority report of the Committee on Credentials, which resulted in a vote of 185 for and 33 against adoption.

For chairman of the Convention, the majority faction presented the name of Hon. Geo. M. Rose, while the minority presented Mr. J. H. Myrover. The matter was decided in Committee, and Mr. Rose was unanimously chosen for permanent chairman, having been called to preside temporarily over the convention by Hon. H. L. Cook, chairman of the County Executive Committee.

Both Messrs. Cook and Rose made ringing speeches, which were cheered to the echo. Interest centered chiefly upon the nomination for Sheriff, for which office five candidates were in nomination, to-wit: W. S. Cook, (present incumbent), W. D. Gaster and J. C. Thomson, of Cross Creek; J. C. Adams, of Carvers Creek; and W. H. Marsh, of Grays Creek. Sheriff Cook led the vote on every ballot save the last, when all the other candidates dropped out of the race except Marsh and Cook, this ballot resulting as follows: Cook, 111, Marsh, 119. Mr. Cook moved to make the nomination of Mr. Marsh unanimous, which was done amid loud cheering. Mr. Marsh, who is a prohibitionist, divided the prohibition vote with Col. Cook, and also received the solid vote of the anti-prohibitionist, which secured him the nomination. Much interest was manifested in the nomination for Senator. Mr. J. D. McNeill, present incumbent, was placed before the convention. The only other candidate was Mr. James M. Lamb. The result of the ballot as announced by the chairman was McNeill, 54; Lamb, 176, and upon motion of Mr. McNeill Mr. Lamb's nomination was made unanimous.

[We print only that portion of the report of our Fayetteville correspondent of the county convention as was not fully anticipated by our special telegram of yesterday.—EDITOR STAR.]

LOCAL DOTS.

— Faison, N. C., is agitating the question of a tobacco warehouse for that point.

— The macadamizing of Red Cross street, between Front and Fourth, was completed yesterday. It is a fine piece of work.

— A boy who is experienced in feeding Job Presses may secure employment by applying at the STAR office this morning.

— Two competent newspaper compositors are wanted immediately at the STAR office. Satisfactory recommendations required.

— Remember that on Monday the box-sheet for the "Pythian Musicale" will open at Gerken's. The event is being looked forward to with much interest.

— After Saturday the carrier service to Wrightsville beach will be discontinued, most of the Summer residents at that resort having returned home.

— A horse attached to the delivery wagon of Mr. J. W. Plummer, Jr., ran away yesterday on Grace street. The shafts of the vehicle were broken, but little other damage was done.

— The Woodmen of the World enjoyed a social session last evening. The STAR office composing room force desires to return grateful thanks for some delightful refreshments sent over from the scene of the festivities.

— A solid car-load of crackers on the side track for W. B. Cooper yesterday is an indication that Wilmington goes forward as a wholesale distributing point. They were manufactured by the Southern Biscuit Co., of Richmond.

— *News and Observer*, 18th: "The State maps, papers, etc., belonging to the State Board of Education, which were in the hands of the late Captain McRae, were received yesterday from Wilmington at the Department of Public Instruction."

—Superintendent D. H. Barger, of the Seaboard Air Line, has confirmed the announcement that his resignation will go into effect Oct. 1st. He will devote his time to extensive coal properties in West Virginia in which he is interested.

Dr. Jno. C. Wessell Appointed.

Dr. John C. Wessell, a popular young physician of Wilmington, has abandoned his city practice and taken a position as medical examiner in the Relief Department of the Atlantic Coast Line under Dr. Geo. G. Thomas, Chief Surgeon. The appointment is a good one and the compliment upon Dr. Wessell is worthily bestowed. He entered upon his new duties yesterday. His election was made necessary by the additional number of employes of the system who came with the absorption of the Plant lines.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

M. Braddy—Millinery opening.
Sneed Co.—October 1st coming.
S. W. Sanders—Fancy groceries.
People's Savings Bank—Comforting
D. L. Gore Co.—New catch mullets.
Masonic—Meeting St. John's Lodge.
Wanted—To correspond with lady.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Lost—Small brown puppy.

NEWS OF THE WHARF

Fourth Steamer With Cotton Cargo Cleared Yesterday for Ghent.

THE HARD COAL SITUATION.

Prices Not So High Here as Represented by Atlanta and Charleston—The Tobacco Movement—Vessels That Came Up and Went Down.

Wilmington's cotton business this year is exciting the jealousy of many of her sister ports and is proving a source of much gratification to public spirited citizens here. The fourth cargo of the season for foreign export went forward yesterday on the British steamer *Rosewood*, Capt. McGregor, and consisted of 5,562 bales, valued at $331,000. It is consigned by Messrs. Sprunt & Son to parties in Ghent, Belgium. Last year this time only two small vessels had been loaded and cleared, and the third did not go forward until Sept. 23d. Five steamers remain in port, and both compresses are at work all day and a part of each night in preparing cotton for loading them. Two other steamers will reach here from New York this week. Cotton receipts yesterday were 2,339 bales against 511 on the same day last year. Most of it was from the South. Sixty bales were from points on the Cape Fear river via the steamer *Hawes* and 11 bales on the *Franklin Pierce* were from Brunswick county. The New York future market was considerably strengthened yesterday but there was no advance in local quotations. The receipts at all United States ports continue to climb.

It is reported from Charleston and Atlanta that Wilmington is holding anthracite coal at $10 per ton in view of the strike. This is an error. While Wilmington has no coal with which to supply wholesale demands, her dealers are content to sell what they have on hand at $7.50 per ton to home consumers, who are always advised to take small quantities so that all may be supplied. The price is an advance of only fifty cents per ton. Charleston consumers are paying $8.50 and Atlanta goes the Exposition City about a dollar more. In bituminous coal here there is no advance and the supply is adequate. The price is $5.50 per ton. The supply of anthracite is very limited as intimated above and Wilmington dealers have recently turned down orders from Atlanta at as high as $10. They simply haven't got the combustible article in wholesale quantities and can't get it until the strike ends. The great demand for anthracite, or any other coal for that matter, does not come here until the last of November and by that time, a prominent dealer said yesterday, it is probable the strike will have ended and a plentiful supply will be forthcoming from the mines. The next local supply of anthracite coal will of course be higher, but no marked advance is looked for in the bituminous product.

In regard to the Merchants' Association's having been the first to take up the movement for the establishment of a tobacco warehouse in Wilmington, it was stated on the floors of the Chamber of Commerce Exchange yesterday that President Chadbourn of that body had been working on the proposed enterprise for sometime; that he did not give publicity to the fact because he feared that procedure would endanger the prospects of its success. It is said that while President Chadbourn is working for the same object, he is going about the matter in a different way and that he will co-operate with the Merchants' Association in its effort along this line. The Merchants' Association was the first, however, to take the question up at a public meeting and act by the appointment of a committee to further the enterprise.

Low water has again placed the ban upon river steamboat traffic. The *Highlander*, which cleared Wednesday, expects to go no farther than Court House Falls, just above Elizabethtown, and the *Hawes*, which came from Fayetteville the same day, is tied up here waiting for water. The *Hurt* is in Fayetteville for repairs to her cabin.

The schooner *Merom*, Capt. Sorensen, cleared yesterday for Boston with cargo of 16,920 cross-ties, consigned by Flynn & Co. Messrs. Flynn & Co. are expecting two other large schooners for cross-ties next week.

The schooner *Fred B. Balano*, Capt. Sawyer, arrived yesterday from New York with a cargo of cement for Roger Moore's Son's & Co.

Schooner *Lizzie M. Parsons*, hence for New York, with a cargo of cross-ties, passed out at Southport at 1 P. M. yesterday.

The Work of An Artist.

There is on exhibition at Yates' book store an exceedingly creditable oil painting executed by Miss Nellie Woodward, the talented young daughter of Col. W. J. Woodward, of this city. It is Miss Woodward's first effort, but the painting is commented upon very enthusiastically and most favorably by all who have seen it. The scene is of a Southern plantation and a quartette of three little pickaninnies, complacently seated on a bale of cotton is true to life, and bears testimony to the success of Miss Woodward's effort. The painting is, indeed, a work of merit and augurs brighter things for the talented young artist.

NEW CITY STATION FOR STEAMER WILMINGTON.

Old Wharf Has Been Given Over to the New Owner and Another Secured in Same Locality.

In line with the spirit of enterprise and solicitude for the convenience of his patrons that has always been characteristic of Capt. Jno. W. Harper, it is announced that on and after Oct. 1st the steamers *Wilmington* and *Southport* will have a new wharf in this city and that very soon there will be erected thereon a handsome and convenient two-story passenger and freight station.

The site of the new wharf is next north of the city dock at foot of Market street and yesterday work was begun in laying new timbers for the wharf and in making other improvements to the property in the way of driving piling, etc. The old wharf of Capt. Harper's steamers on the south side of Market dock was recently sold to Capt. Walter Taft, who will convert it into other uses, but in the new location, which has been leased for a term of years from the Calder & Bradley estate, Capt. Harper, will have equally as an eligible location. It fronts 100 feet on the river to the Custom House property and when the building is completed, there will be nothing wanting. The first floor of the station will be used for freight, etc., and the second floor will be a waiting room, an accommodation which could not be provided for a number of reasons at the old location.

The pile driver *Dandy*, belonging to the Diamond Steamboat and Wrecking Co., began work on the improvements to the new wharf yesterday.

"INDEPENDENTS" ARE ACTIVE.

They Are Said to Be Having No End of Trouble in Arranging a Ticket.

The "Independents" are especially active just now in trying to arrange a county and legislative ticket in New Hanover to oppose the regular Democratic nominees. Several gentlemen were "approached" yesterday and asked to take places on the "Independent" slate, but none so far as a reporter could learn were willing to sacrifice themselves on the Pritchard altar.

Among those approached were Mr. Samuel Northrop, whom they desired to nominate for sheriff, and Mr. W. E. Worth, upon whom they desired to bestow the county treasurership. Both of these gentlemen are reported to have answered that they went into the regular Democratic primaries and proposed to abide the result.

But the most important consideration appears to be given by the "Independents" to the legislative ticket, as it is especially desirable that a goodly number of Republicans and "Independents" shall be on hand when the election of a successor to Senator Pritchard comes up in the next Legislature. It is understood that the leaders have ample provision for this branch of the ticket, but they are having no end of trouble with the county party of it.

Mr. J. M. Forshee is prominently spoken of as the leader of the movement and in Collector of Customs Keith he is said to have his chief adviser.

CAPTAIN CASSIDY IN PORT.

Former Wilmingtonian in Handsome Little Yacht Bound South

The smart little steam yacht *Hornet*, belonging to George L. Carnegie, of New York, a nephew of the famous benefactor, Andrew Carnegie, arrived in port yesterday en route to Jacksonville, Fla. She came to make a few repairs, which are being looked after by Mr. E. P. Bailey, and will proceed in a day or two.

The yacht is in charge of Capt. H. C. Cassidy, a former Wilmingtonian, who resided here until 1879, but who had not visited his old "home" in 17 years until he came last May in the yacht *Wissoe*, belonging to the same owner, which has since been sold. Capt. Cassidy's many friends are glad to welcome him again, and none were more cordial in their greeting than an old family servant, who called upon him yesterday while a reporter was looking over his trim little craft. Capt. Cassidy is an uncle of Wilmington's esteemed citizens, Messrs. J. C. and W. C. Munds.

Portrait of Mr. Walker.

It is learned that Mrs. D. H. Lippitt has completed the handsome oil portrait of the late James Walker, which the Board of Managers will hang in the splendid new hospital, which the deceased gentleman so magnanimously donated to the city and county and which bears his name. The fact that Mrs. Lippitt executed the portrait is sufficient guarantee of its excellence. The order for the portrait was given by the Board of Managers several months ago.

Wilmingtonians Lost Baggage.

News reached the city yesterday that the Hotel Lithia, at Wilkesboro, N. C., at which a number of Wilmington people were guests, was burned Wednesday night. Most of the guests lost a portion of their baggage. Among the Wilmingtonians at the hotel were Mrs. John S. Armstrong and daughters, Misses Olive and Beulah, Miss Mary Borden, Miss Carrie Wright, Miss Kate Harlowe and Mrs. George D. Parsley and family.

— Hon. Geo. M. Rose, of Fayetteville, was here yesterday.

THEATRE OPENING.

Auspicious Beginning of What Promises a Notable Season at Local Play House.

THE BILL, "HUMAN HEARTS."

Initial Attraction Greeted by an Immense Audience—The New Improvements and Executive Staff of the Academy of Music.

The Academy of Music had a most auspicious opening last evening under the new management in a capital production by a splendid company of W. E. Nankeville's beautiful idyl of the Arkansas hills, "Human Hearts," a melo-drama of several successful seasons.

The play is strong in thrilling situations and possesses a well defined plot, which entertainingly tells the story of human passion, love, infidelity, dishonor, shame and death.

Mr. Sullivan, as *Tom Logan*, in the leading role was all that could be desired and the other members of the company ably carried their parts Little Master Percy was a prime favorite as *Grace Logan* and came in for a liberal share of the almost continuous applause. Mr. Bert Hart as *Jem Mason* and Mr. Alf Helton as *Moses Jones* were likewise greatly appreciated.

It is needless to say the performance was well received by the large audience, which almost taxed the seating capacity of the theatre.

Prof. C. W. Hollowbush's splendid orchestra, which has been engaged for the season, proved a "long felt want supplied," to use a slightly threadbare expression, and it is safe to say that excellent organization will prove a drawing card in the future.

The Academy of Music starts out the new season much improved in appearance and convenience to patrons. These have been noted from time to time in the city papers and were agreeable if not wholly a surprise last night. Messrs. Cowan Bros., the managers, have a clever corps of assistants and they started off last night without a hitch or the slightest confusion. Mr. Jake L. Solomon is in charge of the box office; the door-tender is Mr. Jno W. Blommee; Mr. W. G. Hill is chief usher; Mr. W. B. Savage, electrician; and the stage is managed by Mr. J. D. Mote. The new management and the initial attraction came in for their share of much enthusiastic comment by the large crowd last light. The standard set is a high one, and the management promises to keep it up during the season.

The next attraction is the Black Patti Troubadours, which come this year larger and better than ever before for matinee and night performances on Monday, Sept. 29th.

During October there will be a notable galaxy of high class productions, which come thick and fast. It will, doubtless, be the banner theatrical month of the year.

Long Distance Telephone.

The Pender *Chronicle*, of Burgaw, says this week: "The Southern Bell Long Distance Telephone and Telegraph Co. are rapidly installing 'phones along their connecting lines between Raleigh and Wilmington. Mr. N. O. Wood placed a 'phone at Rocky Point yesterday, and arrived in town last evening and placed a toll office in the dry goods department of the firm of W. B. Croom & Bro. We will have communication with all points North and South within fifteen days, by way of Raleigh. The line towards Wilmington will not be completed for some time on account of some difficulty with reference to the right of way over a narrow strip of land."

Real Estate Transfers.

By deeds filed for record yesterday D. L. Gore and wife transferred to C. C. Harriss and wife, for $750, lot on north side of Hanover between Fifth and Sixth streets, 54x104 feet more or less; and Samuel Northrop and wife et al, transferred to Mrs. Robert H. Northrop for $150, lot on east side of Eighth between Harnett and Swann streets, 33x50 feet in size.

Mayor's Court Yesterday.

In the police court yesterday Willie Melvin, a Laurinburg negro, was held for the higher court on a charge of carrying concealed weapons. He gave bond in the sum of $35, with Jno. H. Gore, Jr., Esq., as surety. The only other case of importance was that of a Greek, with a name as long as your arm. He was fined $10 for being drunk and disorderly.

A WORD TO THE WISE

THE MORNING STAR Business Locals Column offers the best, cheapest and surest means of getting quick returns on advertisements for—

Help Wanted,
Situations Wanted,
Boarders Wanted,
Rooms For Rent,
Houses For Rent,
Houses For Sale,
Property For Sale,
Lost, Found,
Strayed, Stolen,
Etc., Etc., Etc.

One cent per word each insertion. No advertisement taken for less than 20 cents.
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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

— Miss Florrie Grant, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. R. H. Grant, left yesterday for Raleigh to enter St. Mary's.

— Mr. J. N. Brittain returned yesterday from a business trip for the Ludden & Bates Southern Music House.

— Mr. D. E. Baldwin, formerly with the Atlantic Coast Line in this city, has taken a position with the Seaboard Air Line in Portsmouth, Va.

— Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Gilbert have returned from a visit to Mrs. Gilbert's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Hair, of Lenr, N. C.

— Capt. T. M. Morse, Messrs. H. A. Kure and John Bennett attended the Brunswick county convention at Lockwood's Folly yesterday. No nominations had been made when they left at 2 P. M.

— Miss Lily Buxton, of New York, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. H. McRee, leaves this morning for Fayetteville to spend some time with Mrs. Herbert Lutterloh, who will return with her.

— Mr. W. J. Martin, city editor of the Raleigh *Post*, arrived yesterday and left in the afternoon for Sloop Point to spend a short vacation. Mrs. Martin has been visiting her parents there for several days.

— Mr. W. A. Downe, business manager of the Paul Gilmore Tyranny of Tears Co., was a STAR visitor yesterday. He promises an unusual attraction when the company appear at the Academy of Music October 9th.

The Tobacco Warehouse.

Several years since the STAR urged the importance of establishing tobacco warehouses in Wilmington and called special attention to the facilities offered here for direct foreign shipment. With a market established here, there is no reason why thousands of hogsheads of leaf tobacco should not be shipped direct from Wilmington to foreign ports.

New Steamer Building.

The Southport *Standard* of yesterday says that a new steamer built at Little River by the Wilmington and Little River Transportation Company is to be launched on Thursday the 25th inst. about 12:30 o'clock "It is understood that the young people will have a picnic then, and a great crowd will witness the launching of the ship."

Banner Excursion Day.

Two very large excursions from Columbia and other points in South Carolina reached the city yesterday. Most of them returned last midnight and others will leave on the regular train to-day. The visitors spent most of their time sight-seeing in the city and riding the trolley cars. Very few went to the beach.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

St. John's Lodge No. 1, A. F. & A. M.

EMERGENT COMMUNICATION THIS Friday evening at 8 o'clock for work in E. A. degree.
By order of W. M.
Visiting Brethren are cordially invited.
R. C. MERRITT,
sep 19 1t Secretary Pro. Tem.

WANTED.

A nice young man wishes to correspond with a cultured and refined young lady. She must be good looking, of fair education and must not be over 20 years of age. Address all letters to J. B. Belk, Fort Caswell, Coast Artillery.
sep 19 1t

At The Unlucky Corner

The Most Up-to-Date Stock of
First Class Fancy Groceries
at retail in the city.
Ample facilities for serving you promptly. Satisfaction guaranteed.
Yours for business,
S. W. Sanders.
P. S.—New accounts invited. sep 19 tf

New Catch Mullets.

50 Barrels New Catch Mullets.
We guarantee 100 pounds to every barrel.
Also Genuine Texas R. P Oats for Seed.
One hundred cars of other Groceries.
D. L. CORE CO.,
Wholesale Grocers,
sep 19 tf Wilmington, N. C.

Market Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the stalls and stores of the City Markets will be rented at public auction on
Saturday, September 20th,
Commencing at Fifth Ward Market House at 11 A. M., reaching Fourth street market house about 11 45 A. M., and Front street market house about 12.35 P. M. Stalls will be rented upon the cash premium plan. No bids will be received from delinquent renters, nor will sub-letting be allowed.
M. G. TIENCKEN,
Chairman Market Committee.
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ACADEMY OF MUSIC

Tuesday Evening, Sept. 23rd.

A Pythian Musicale,

Under the auspices of Stonewall, Clarendon and Jefferson Lodges, K. of P.
Box sheet opens at Gerken's Monday, September 22d; 50c to all parts of the house.
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Millinery Opening!

Tuesday, Sept. 23, and Wednesday Sept. 24,
Beginning at 10 A. M. and ending at 11 P. M. Each Day.
Music, Ice Cream & Lemonade Free

Ladies and Gentlemen, all invited. Don't you miss it or you miss the best thing of your life. Madame Connelly, head Milliner, and five stylish young ladies to show you around. The greatest exhibit of Ladies' Headwear, Paris Novelties, Notions, Hosiery, Embroideries, Ladies' Silk and Flannel Shirt Waists and Cloaks.
Madame Connelly, our head Milliner, has had several seasons' experience on Fifth Avenue, New York city. She won first honors in the great milliner's contest in New York city last year. Her name has frequently appeared in the New York Millinery Journals. She intends to lead the styles and sell the fine Hats in Wilmington this season.
THE PARIS MILLINERY BAZAR,
121 Market St., Wilmington, N. C.
M. BRADDY, Prop.
sep 18 tf

October 1st Is Coming!

And you better purchase one or more of those
Leather Seat Rockers,
Oak or Mahogany Finish at $1.50.
Iron Beds With Rails at Cost.
See us and we will make prices O. K.
THE SNEED CO.,
sep 19 tf Second and Market Streets.

A GOOD BANK ACCOUNT

Is exceedingly comforting in times of need. And there is a feeling of security and satisfaction when the account is kept at this bank.
Deposits made with us now will draw 4 per cent. per annum, compounded in three months from October 1st.
WHY NOT OPEN ACCOUNT WITH US AT ONCE.
The People's Savings Bank,
Opposite the Postoffice,
H. C. McQUEEN, President. JNO. S. ARMSTRONG, Vice President.
sep 19 tf F. W. DICK, Cashier.

Fancy Peaches,
PEARS, GRAPES,
Pineapples,
Oranges and Bananas.
E. WARREN & SON.
sep 6 tf

Cream Puffs
15 Cents Dozen at
FARRIS'
BAKERY.
HOT BREAD AND ROLLS
EVERY EVENING.
sep 33 tf 15 and 17 South Second street.

Proposals Invited.

Bids will be received up to noon September 22nd for 32 Mattresses for the Fire Department: Size 3½x6 feet, made of best ticking, filled with felt, cotton or pine fibre. Samples to accompany bids. The right to reject any or all bids is reserved. Leave samples and bids with Chief Chas. Schnibben at Chemical Engine House.
W. B. COOPER,
Chairman Fire Committee.
sep 17 3t

SEPT. MULLETS.

15,000 pounds Fancy Mullets.
5c pound here.
100 Pound Barrels.
W. B. COOPER,
Wholesale Grocer,
sep 17 tf Wilmington, N. C.

Just Received.

New lot Library Lamps. A beautful lot of Pictures; Enamel Beds from $3.75 up. Nice Line Rockers, Trunks and Stoves. New lot Felt Mattresses. Come and see us and get our prices. We guarantee to undersell any firm in the city.
GASTON D. PHARES & CO.
Inter-State 'Phone 76. 110-112 Market street.
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REPORT

OF THE CONDITION OF THE ATLANTIC National Bank, at Wilmington, N. C., at the close of business, September 15, 1902.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 991,101 23
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		491 96
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		98,100 00
U. S. Bonds to secure U. S. Deposits		173,800 00
Stocks, securities, etc		16,069 63
Banking house, furniture, and fixtures		20,000 00
Other Real Estate owned		10,000 00
Due from National Banks (not Reserve Agents)		72,360 96
Due from State Banks and Bankers		168,810 03
Due from approved reserve agents		63,921 12
Notes of other National Banks	$10,000 00	
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents	1,500 80	
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz: Specie	$13,000 00	
Legal tender notes	$71,405 00	95,905 80
Redemption fund with U. S. Treas'r (5 per cent. of circulation)		2,300 00
Total		$1,651,760 73

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 125,000 0
Surplus fund	$125,000 00	
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	21,192 33	146,192 33
National Bank notes outstanding		95,100 00
Due to other National Banks	179,153 37	
Due to State Banks and Bankers	142,677 00	
Dividends unpaid	286 00	
Individual deposits subject to check	678,612 15	
Demand certificates of deposit	100,000 00	
Certified checks	45 00	
Cashier's checks outstanding	10,894 88	
United States deposits	173,800 00	1,285,468 40
Total		$1,651,760 73

State of North Carolina, county of New Hanover, ss.:

I, J. W. Yates, Assistant Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. W. YATES, Assistant Cashier.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 17th day of September, 1902.
W. C. ARMSTRONG, Notary Public.

CORRECT—Attest:
P. L. BRIDGERS, GABRIEL HOLMES, ANDREW MORELAND, } Directors.
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1,000 FRUIT TREES.
From the leading Nursery in North Carolina. Will be sold in one lot, or in two lots of about 500 each.
Selections to be made from latest catalogue. Address,
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If satisfactory offer is received I will sell for cash Livingston Brick Works, located on Livingston Creek, near Cronly, N. C. The property I offer for sale is a fully equipped yard and now in operation, including forty-six acres of land with an unlimited clay deposit, one tenant house, one blacksmith shop, three good brick lighters and one 50 cord flat. Daily capacity of the mill 18 to 20 thousand.
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Wanted, a first class compositor who has had experience on a daily morning paper. Must have good recommendations as to habits and qualifications.
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The Morning Star.

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FRIDAY MORNING, SEPT. 19.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For Congress—Sixth District,
GILBERT B. PATTERSON,
of Robeson.
For Chief Justice of Supreme Court,
WALTER CLARK,
of Wake.
For Associate Justices,
HENRY GROVES CONNOR,
of Wilson.
PLATT D. WALKER,
of Mecklenburg.

Superior Court Judges:
Second District—R. B. Peebles, of Northampton.
Fourth District—C. M. Cooke, of Franklin.
Sixth District—W. R. Allen, of Wayne.
Eighth District—W. H. Neal, of Scotland.
Tenth District—B. F. Long, of Iredell.
Eleventh District—E. B. Jones, of Forsyth.
Thirteenth District—W. B. Council, of Watauga.
Fourteenth District—M. H. Justice, of Rutherford.
Fifteenth District—Frederick Moore, of Buncombe.
Sixteenth District—G. S. Ferguson, of Haywood.

For Solicitor:
Fifth District—Rodolph Duffy, of Onslow.
Seventh District—C. C. Lyon, of Bladen.

For Corporation Commissioner,
EUGENE C. BEDDINGFIELD,
of Wake.
For Supt. of Public Instruction,
JAMES Y. JOYNER,
of Guilford.

THE PENSION TRUST.

Some remarkable things are happening in politics these days. It was remarkable when President Roosevelt took up the subject of trust restriction for public discussion, and when Republican conventions declared for tariff revision and for trust legislation. This was remarkable, but it can be accounted for by the public clamor against trusts, made all the louder by the extortion of the Beef Trust and by the popular demand for tariff revision, outside and inside of the Republican party.

There was politics in this. It was stealing Democratic thunder and "getting in the swim," as the boys say. Mr. Roosevelt is politician enough to know what he was doing, and the Republican politicians who drafted those tariff revision, anti-trust planks knew what they were doing.

But they are showing symptoms of another departure which cannot be so easily accounted for, because it has not loomed up as issue in this campaign, although it has been discussed more or less for years. As a rule the politicians of all parties have been afraid to tackle it. It is pension reform, taking steps to protect the Government and the tax payers from pension frauds. The first announcement of this new departure we find in the New York *Sun*, which says:

The Republican party of the State of New York, it was learned yesterday, is to take the initiative steps this year toward regulating the pension question. The expenditures for pensions for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1900, were $140,877,316.02; for 1901 they were $139,323,631.99, and for 1902 the expenditures were $138,488,599.73.

The expenditures for the maintenance of the German army each year are $135,000,000, and for the French army, $137,000,000.

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No Republican and no Democratic President, it was said yesterday, has found it convenient to look exhaustively into this matter. But President Roosevelt himself is a soldier, and his friends have discussed this pension question, and of course from year to year there has been a great deal of talk about the pension agents of Washington.

There has always been a great deal of consideration extended to the Grand Army of the Republic, whose leaders have been regarded as highly honorable men, and whose subordinates have been considered in the same light. Nevertheless, it was said yesterday, the time has now come when the Republican party should take some steps to prevent further inroads on the Treasury of the United States in the interest of pensioners who have no more right to sustenance from the United States Government than babes unborn.

Eminent Republicans were saying yesterday that the Democratic party had always been fearful to undertake any explanation of the pensions issued by the United States Government, and in years gone by the Republican party has been just as fearful to discuss this important question.

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The pensions paid in 1890 were $106,493,890; in 1891, $118,548,959; in 1892, $141,086,948; in 1893, $158,155,342; in 1894, $140,773,163; in 1895, $140,959,361; in 1896, $138,049,540; in 1897, $139,949,717; in 1898, $144,651,879; in 1899, $138,355,053, and in 1900, $138,462,130.

The largest number of pensioners live in Pennsylvania, where there were in 1901 104,345 of them, who drew $13,378,371.37 from the government. Ohio comes next with 104,301 pensioners, drawing $15,211,127.38 in the year. New York had 88,794 pensioners on June 30, 1901, and the amount paid to them during the previous year was $11,931,375.89. Indiana comes next on the roll with 66,974 pensioners, drawing $10,291,896.75. Illinois has a greater number of pensioners, 70,481, than Indiana, but they draw $9,757,003.69 in the year.

So, it was said last night, some statesmen are beginning to consider the Pension Trust as well as other trusts.

The Sun is an orthodox Republican organ, and one of the most strenuous of them, too; but, to its credit be it said, it has never been in sympathy with the pension raids upon the treasury. While its statement is, in the main, true, it is not a fair representation of the status of the parties on the pension question, for it puts the Democratic and Republican parties in the same boat, and virtually makes the Democratic party as responsible as the Republican party for extravagant pension legislation. The difference between the two parties in this respect is that while the Democratic party has not made a specialty of fighting against pensions, while deprecating extravagence and indiscriminate granting of pensions, the Republican party has taken credit to itself for establishing the present pension system and has defended and gloried in its liberality to the "patriots who saved the Union."

"No Republican or Democratic President has ever found it convenient to look exhaustively into this matter," is rather a loose statement, in view of the fact that since 1860, a period of more than forty years, within which time the pension system has grown to its monstrous proportions, we have had but one Democratic President, who "looked into that matter" more than all the Republican Presidents combined, and was roundly abused and grossly misrepresented by Republican speakers and Republican organs for doing it. It was one of the strong cards they played to defeat him for re-election and it was one of the strong factors in his defeat. President Cleveland had the courage to condemn and rebuke indiscriminate pension granting, and sent back to Congress handfuls of bills with a veto on them, and as a result lost thousands of votes on account of it. Cleveland was then doing precisely what these New York Republicans propose to do now, was trying to protect the Treasury from fraudulent pensions.

Another fact in this connection is that every movement made in Congress since the war for pension reform was made by some Democratic Representative or Senator, and every time such a movement was made the opposition came from the Republicans, and the Democratic party was arraigned as the enemy of "the men in blue," who "perilled their lives to save the Union."

When Corporal Tanner was commissioner of pensions he boasted that he "shovelled the money" out of the treasury and regretted that there wasn't more there to shovel out. That's the way he disposed of the surplus. The boast was applauded and endorsed by the politicians of his party. When his successor, Judge Cochrane, who had been a soldier, stopped the shovelling and undertook to conduct the office on honest, business principles he was denounced for it and held up as an enemy of the soldier. When Commissioner Evans, a Republican, under McKinley, paid some regard for his oath of office and to honest administration and showed a disposition to turn down frauds he, too, was denounced, the pension attorneys and the Grand Army posts made war on him, made his official life a ragged edged one and never let up on him until they succeeded in getting him transferred to Liverpool as consul, and another put in his place. If Mr. Ware, who has succeeded him, refuses to be governed by the pension sharks, the attorneys, who live upon the pensioners, they will make official life miserable for him.

But it is a hopeful sign that at last even the Republican politicians are waking up to the enormity of the pension abuse, and that they are looking to some reform. It is new departure that may produce fruit after a while, whether it does now or not.

THE COLOR LINE EVERYWHERE

We read and hear a good deal about the color line in the South as if it were a great wrong to the negro and peculiar to the Southern States, when, as a matter of fact, the color line is universal and drawn more tightly in some other sections of this country than it is in the South. Some people have an idea that in Europe there is no color line and that the well behaved negro stands upon the same plane as well behaved white people, but that is not the experience of intelligent, educated American negroes who have sojourned or travelled in European countries.

Dr. D. Jonathan Phillips, a colored citizen of Philadelphia, has just returned to that city from a five years' sojourn in Europe, where he went to pursue studies in medicine, passing final examinations in two of the leading medical colleges in England. In speaking of the discrimination against the negro he is quoted as saying:

"America, after all, is the best place for the negro, all things considered, not excepting his social standing. While public accommodations abroad may be obtained, it is generally made plain that the negro is not a welcome guest; in some places he is refused on the same plea as in sections of America—'that they are filled up.' In travelling in public conveyances where passengers have compartments sufficient to seat from three to half a dozen, I often found myself alone, other passengers preferring to crowd elsewhere to coming to a comfortable seat by me. The same conditions prevail on the Continent as in England. Color caste prejudice is in as pronounced a form there as is to be found anywhere in America.

"A lynching is as likely to occur in streets of London wherever a negro is in question, as it is likely to take place in Georgia. Sentiment in Europe toward the now is far different from that of a generation ago. A case in point I witnessed in London. There happened to be a murder committed by a colored sailor in the toughest part of London where murder is of daily occurrence; yet when this negro murdered a white man the papers made a sensation of it and kept it up for days.

"Such is the public sentiment against the negro. I believe if there were as many negroes in England as there are in America sentiment would be worse against the negro in Europe than it is toward him in the meanest States in America. The negro is better understood and is as well treated in this country as anywhere else."

There is no country in the world, with the exception, perhaps, of some of our Northern States, where the change in sentiment as to the negro is so marked as in England, attributable in a great measure, no doubt, to closer contact and more familiarity with that race since England began to expand in South Africa. So closer contact is producing a decided change of sentiment in the Northern section of this country, where the lines are drawn even tighter against the negro than they are in the South where he is better understood, and where there is more charity and toleration of his shortcomings. While the line is necessarily drawn so that there can be no mistaking it, in social and political life, the avenues of labor, self-support, industrial, educational and moral betterment are opened wider to him in the South than in any other section of this country or in any European country.

A CHANCE TO SHOW THEIR HANDS.

The platform adopted by the Democratic State Convention of Massachusetts, which met in Boston, Wednesday, recognized only live issues, and is full of them. It demands the repeal of tariff duties on all articles controlled by trusts, free coal, free iron ore, free wool, free hides, and reciprocity with Cuba and Canada. It favors arbitration of labor disputes, opposes imperialism, subsidies to favored interests on land or on sea, and the use of corporation patronage to influence legislation.

Every plank in this platform is sound, and would be endorsed by a large majority of the American people if they voted on these pure and simple, uninfluenced by partisan associations or party bias.

This will give the Massachusetts shoe manufacturers, woolen manufacturers, iron manufacturers, and opponents of trusts, whether they be manufacturers or not, an opportunity to show their hands and prove their sincerity by breaking loose from party shackles, and voting for the policies they have been clamoring for.

The shoe manufacturers want free hides and free leather, which are taxed for the benefit of a few men, which tax handicaps the manufacturers when competing in foreign markets, and adds to the cost of the shoes the people wear. The woollen manufacturer wants free wool for similar reasons, and the manufacturer of iron and steel articles wants free iron ore to relieve him from the tribute he has to pay to the monopolists who control the home market. They all want free coal, which they could get from fifty cents to a dollar a ton less if they could import it from Canada. They have now to pay heavy tribute on all these things to the favored few who are protected by the Dingley tariff.

They have ample reason to know that they can never get what they ask from a Republican Congress, because with all the popular demand the grip of the trusts and of the protected interests has been so tight on the Republican majority in Congress for years that it could never be prevailed upon to cross the line drawn by the trusts and by these protected interests.

If these Massachusetts manufacturers and others would find the relief they seek they must vote with the party and men who will try to give it to them. We shall see whether they have the courage of their convictions.

Some men's luck follows them around the world. That's what it did for a Manchester, Va., man, who five years ago started out to see the world. He and three companions took in the Samoan Islands, and the natives of one of the islands, who were also cannibals, took them in and put them up to fatten. They ate all his companions, but the daughter of the chief did the Pocahontas act for him, fell in love with him, implored the old man and had his life spared. But he was kept a prisoner for two years, when he managed to escape and boarded a vessel bound for Honolulu. From there he beat his way back to Manchester, and isn't in a hurry to start on another tramp.

Food Changed to Poison.

Putrefying food in the intestines produces effects like those of arsenic, but Dr. King's New Life Pills expel the poisons from clogged bowels gently and easily, but surely, curing Constipation, Biliousness, Sick Headache, Fevers and all Liver, Kidney and Bowel troubles. Only 25 cents at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store. †

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Is becoming more popular among women. The reason given is that a woman should know how to use the pistol for self protection. The theory should be carried farther. Where a woman is in danger from assault once she is in danger from disease every day of her life. Women have not only to run the risk of diseases which threaten husband, brother, and son, but they have also to guard against diseases which are peculiar to womanhood.

From these diseases Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription will effectively defend women. The use of this medicine preserves as well as restores the womanly health. It corrects irregularity, dries weakening drains, heals inflammation and ulceration, and cures female weakness.

"I cannot say enough for Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and 'Golden Medical Discovery,'" writes Mrs. Ida M. Tutt, of 406 Franklin Street, Crawfordsville, Ind. "I could hardly walk alone or do my housework when I heard of your wonderful medicine. I used five bottles of each and several vials of 'Pleasant Pellets,' and can say I am a well woman. I thank Dr. Pierce for his advice for he helped me to live. May many thousand women take my advice and when in poor health or suffering from any female trouble take Dr. Pierce's wonderful medicines."

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Kinston *News*: Nearly 300,000 pounds of tobacco was sold on this market Tuesday.

— Wilson *News*: The sales of tobacco Tuesday nearly reached 400,000 pounds and lasted until after four o'clock. The best of the tobacco is coming in now and many lots sold each day bring fancy prices.

— Goldsboro *Headlight*: The tobacco barn of Mr. T. O. Mozingo, in Brogden township, caught on fire Saturday morning about 2 o'clock and was entirely consumed together with about 500 pounds of the yellow weed.

— Clinton *Democrat*: Mr. Henry Andrews, while running the cotton gin of Mr. E. D. Hobbs, of Hall's township, had one arm caught and jerked in the gin by the saws on the 10th inst. The arm was cut in two below the elbow and otherwise dreadfully mangled. Dr. F. H. Holmes was summoned, who amputated the arm above the elbow. He found the patient very much exhausted from the loss of blood, but his condition was such as to make amputation necessary at once.

— Kinston *Free Press*: The American Tobacco Company deposited Tuesday with the Bank of Kinston seventy odd thousand dollars.

— Messrs. J. A. Harvey and E. W. Chadwick are putting in machinery for a sash, door and blind factory on Heritage street, near the light station. They will be equipped to do any work that is done in a strictly up to-date factory. — Albert Thompson, whom Calvin Clements shot last Monday morning, died Tuesday evening about 6 o'clock. This shooting was claimed to be accidental, but some circumstances connected with it would indicate that possibly there might have been intent, though Thompson's antemortem statement will go far towards exonerating Clements.

— Newbern *Journal*: The farmers say that cool nights are making cotton open very rapidly. It is expected that the crop will be fully gathered by November 1st. if hands in sufficient quantities can be secured to do the work. The staple is said to be very short this year but is very white and pretty.——News reached here yesterday morning of the escape of four prisoners from the county jail in Trenton on Tuesday night. It appears that the prisoners were very carelessly allowed to occupy the corridor of the jail and they noticing that the bars on a window were rotted with rust, wrested one from its fastenings and easily dug their way out through the floor. One of the number was Cyrus Dixon who was convicted at the last term of court for waylaying and killing Mr. Webber near Fowle, last winter. Dixon was under sentence of death, and was waiting action of the Supreme Court on the case. Dixon is a young man in early twenties, has thick black hair and dark eyes, which have a full or overloaded appearance, red face, wears a No. 7 shoe, and is about five feet nine inches tall. The prisoners seem to have made good their escape as no tidings had been received of them at a late hour.

TWINKLINGS.

— How much sooner it gets too dark to saw wood than it does to play golf.—*Atchison Globe.*

— She—Are you a bull or a bear on 'change? He—Both. I bull the market and bear the losses. See?—*Chicago News.*

— Howsoe—What is the best way to keep your friends? Treat them kindly? Comsoe—No, often.—*Town and Country.*

— "DeScribe is a very original and ingenious writer." "Yes, indeed. He even makes his own dialect."—*Indianapolis News.*

— "Do you enjoy walking?" "Immensely." "Good. Then I'll take you for a ride in the country in my automobile."—*Washington Star.*

— Tess—She's perpetually smiling these days. Jess—Yes, she's got a new set of false teeth. Tess—Ah, I see; and she's determined to grin and bare it.—*Philadelphia Press.*

— "What was your idea in having Bertha learn typewriting?" "Well, she was always drumming with her fingers, and I thought she might as well do it to some purpose.—*Chicago Tribune.*

— The work of kalsomining the Republican party in the South is now on in Virginia and Georgia, the job having been completed in Alabama and North Carolina in a way.—*Richmond Times, Dem.*

Thousands Sent Into Exile.

Every year a large number of poor sufferers, whose lungs are sore and racked with coughs, are urged to go to another climate. But this is costly and not always sure. Don't be an exile, when Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption will cure you at home. It's the most infallible medicine for Coughs, Colds and all Throat and Lung diseases on earth. The first dose brings relief. Astounding cures result from persistent use. Trial bottles free at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store. Price 50 cents and $1.00. Every bottle guaranteed. †

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CURRENT COMMENT.

— Mr. Littlefied has not set the date for his first trust-busting performance. Perhaps he is waiting for the bad ones to be tagged, so that he will not make the mistake of injuring the innocent.—*Washington Post, Ind.*

— The projected conference between the President and certain Republican Senators on the tariff question, shows that they recognize it as the issue in spite of denials, and dread the verdict of the peoble upon it in the present Congressional campaign.—*Brooklyn Citizen, Dem.*

— A Massachusetts judge has decided that a citizen may kill a burglar who invades his premises. Of course there is a great difference between taking the law into one's one hand by shooting a thief and lynching a negro who has assaulted a defenseless woman.—*Chattanooga Times, Ind.*

— When Federal Senators are likened to the peers of England one important difference is overlooked—a peer is forbidden by law to interfere with any election. What would happen if the members of our "upper house" were cabined, cribbed and confined by such a prohibition?—*Jacksonville Times-Union, Dem.*

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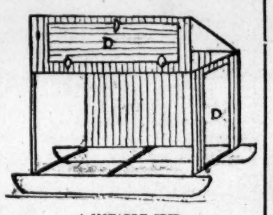
Crib and Watering Trough For Cattle, Both Movable.

We have used the movable crib one year and find it very useful. It cost $12. We used it in a large field; haul it from one place to another when empty. It gives a clean place to feed and distributes the manure and cobs where needed most; saves much labor. The



A MOVABLE CRIB.

crib has a shed roof, is 7 feet high in front and 5 feet at rear, 5 feet wide and 10 feet long, placed on runners 12 feet long, 5 inches thick and 8 inches wide. The crosspieces resting on the sled are 3 by 6 inches and 5 feet long. The side end, floor and end door are left open in the cut to show construction. The upper door (D) falls down. The crib is filled through it. If this crib is wanted for a self feeder, put in an inclined floor.

The accompanying cut shows a very convenient trough for watering or feeding cattle in the barn. It can be made any size desired, but the most serviceable size is about four by one and a half feet. The sides should be built slanting, as shown, for then it is easy for stock to eat out of it, and it can also be more readily cleaned. It is also convenient to water cattle with in winter. Provided the mangers are composed of nothing more complicated than the bare floor, the trough, filled with water, can be rolled in front of

A MOVABLE WATERING TROUGH.

the cows and from one cow to another. Where running water is available it can be let run into the tub and speedily rolled to the animals. With wheels made of hardwood the device will last for years and, aside from watering the stock, can be used for a variety of other purposes about the barn, saving labor and adding to the profit. Both of these devices are described by correspondents in the Ohio Farmer.

Unconscious Humor.

With the unconscious humor of the schoolroom and the examination we are familiar, but in this respect the prayer meeting and the board meeting that doles out parish relief remain almost untouched sources of fun.

Recently a trembling old lady at Camberwell appeared for parish relief. "But what is your son," she was asked, "that he cannot support you?" "Please, sir," she replied, "he's only a millionaire." Amid the ensuing laughter they learned that what she meant was commissionaire.

Also quite recently at a prayer meeting where the worshipers wished for the restoration to health of some friend one of them prayed, "O God, restore unto us our brother if it doth not interfere with thy perquisites." The situation was saved by the exclamation of an intelligent listener: "Hallelujah! The Lord knows what he means!"—London Chronicle.

Irish Bird Beliefs.

A Dublin journal, speaking about the beliefs about birds in Ireland, says that the blackbird and thrush are "wandering souls" whose sins must be expiated on earth; hence they are forced to endure the rigors of winter. Rooks, jackdaws, bats, hawks and owls are animated by lost souls. The wagtail is called the devil's bird for no other reason, it is supposed, than that it cleverly evades the missiles thrown at it. A dead wagtail is a rara avis.

The robin is called God's bird because it plucked a thorn from the cruel crown pressed upon the head of our Saviour and in doing so wounded its own breast. It forsakes a "cursed" graveyard.

Sparrows, stares and plovers are on friendly terms with the fairies. The lark and the swallow are birds of good omen, but the latter should not rest on the housetop.

Didn't Give It.

"Willie, did you give Johnny Smith a black eye?"

"No, ma'am."

"Are you sure?"

"Yes, ma'am. He already had the eye, an' I jest blacked it for him."—Chicago Post.

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Theodore Price

SAYS COTTON GOING HIGHER.

I strongly advise holders and producers of cotton to disregard reports which are being circulated by those interested in depressing the price of cotton, to the effect that I or my friends are selling or contemplate selling. Such reports are false, but oven were they true, the essential facts of the situation would remain unaltered and cotton will go higher, as I have repeatedly stated. The market is bigger than any one man or set of men, and the law of supply and demand will assert itself irrespective of individual efforts to check or thwart it. Cotton is going very much higher, because the crop is poor and apparently growing worse every day, while the unexampled prosperity in America and the universality of peace throughout the world, makes for the largest consumption on record.

THEODORE H. PRICE.
New York, Sept. 18. sep 19 1t

MARINE.

ARRIVED.

Schr Fred B Balano, 250 tons, Sawyer, New York, George Harriss, Son & Co.

CLEARED.

Schooner Merom, Sorensen, Boston, George Harriss, Son & Co.
British steamship Rosewood, McGregor, Ghent, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

EXPORTS.

COASTWISE.

BOSTON—Schooner Merom, 16,920 cross ties; cargo by Flynn & Co; vessel by George Harriss, Son & Co.

FOREIGN.

GHENT—British steamship Rosewood, 5,563 bales cotton, 2,857,773 pounds, valued at $231,000; cargo and vessel by Alexander Sprunt & Son.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in the Port of Wilmington, N. C., September 19.

STEAMSHIPS.

Vauxhall Bridge, (Br) 2,178 tons, Reeder, Alexander Sprunt & Son.
Gladys, (Br) 1,509 tons, Edwards, Helde & Co.
Gladestry, (Br) 1,521 tons, Lawson, Alexander Sprunt & Son.
Tolosa, (Br) 2,099 tons, Widdess, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

SCHOONERS.

Fred B Balano, 250 tons, Sawyer, George Harriss, Son & Co.
Gem, 489 tons, Dix, J T Riley & Co.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

C C. Railroad—147 bales cotton, 60 barrels rosin, 51 barrels tar, 26 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—141 bales cotton, 2 casks spirits turpentine, 23 barrels tar, 9 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—1,882 bales cotton, 12 casks spirits turpentine, 16 barrels rosin, 7 barrels tar, 8 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—98 bales cotton, 17 casks spirits turpentine, 28 barrels tar.

Steamer E. A Hawes—60 bales cotton, 18 casks spirits turpentine, 145 barrels rosin, 25 barrels tar, 11 barrels crude turpentine

Steamer Whitlock—9 casks spirits turpentine, 72 barrels rosin, 3 barrels tar, 19 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer Franklin Pierce—11 bales cotton, 2 casks spirits turpentine, 17 barrels rosin.

Schooner Leah—2 casks spirits turpentine, 31 barrels rosin.

Total—2,339 bales cotton, 62 casks spirits turpentine, 341 barrels rosin, 137 barrels tar, 69 barrels crude turpentine.

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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

[Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.]

STAR OFFICE, September 18.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market steady at 46½c per gallon.

ROSIN—Market steady at $1.10 per barrel for strained and $1.15 per barrel for good strained.

TAR—Market firm at $1.50 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm at $1.40 per barrel for hard, $2.50 for dip, and $2.60 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine firm at 33@32c; rosin firm at 95c@$1.00; tar steady at $1.35; crude turpentine quiet at $1.00 @2.00.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	62
Rosin	341
Tar	137
Crude turpentine	69

Receipts same day last year—79 casks spirits turpentine, 330 barrels rosin, 207 barrels tar, 30 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market firm on a basis of 8¾c per pound for middling. Quotations:

Ordinary	6	cts. ₱ lb
Good ordinary	7¾	" "
Low middling	8	" "
Middling	8¾	" "
Good middling	8 9-16	" "

Same day last year, market firm at 8¾c for middling.

Receipts—2,339 bales; same day last year, 511.

Net receipts at all United States ports yesterday, 33,532 bales; last year, 16,893.

[Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.]

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm. Prime, 80c; extra prime, 85c; fancy, 90c, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 80c; extra prime, 85c; fancy, 90c. Spanish, 77 @80c.

CORN—Firm, 80@82½c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 15@16c per pound; shoulders, 10@12½c; sides, 10@11c.

EGGS—Dull at 17@18c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm. Grown, 20@25c; springs, 10@22c.

TURKEYS—No sale.

BEESWAX—Firm at 25c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5½@6½c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Dull at 70@75c per bushel.

FINANCIAL MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—Money on call was firm at 6@9 per cent., closing, bid and asked, 6@7 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 5¾@6 per cent. Sterling exchange steady at an advance, with actual business in bankers' bills at 486 for demand and 483 for sixty days. Posted rates 483½@484 and 486¾. Commercial bills 482½@483. Bar silver 51¼. Mexican dollars 40¼. Government bonds irregular. State bonds easier. Railroad bonds steady. U. S refunding 2's, reg'd, 109; U. S. refunding 2's, coupon, 109½; U. S. 3's, reg'd, 107½; do coupon, 107½; U.S. 4's, new registered, 136¾; do. coupon, 136¾; U S. 4's, old, registered, 110½, do. coupon, 111½; U S. 5's registered, 105; do. coupon, 105; Southern Railway, 5's, 120. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio 114; Chesapeake & Ohio 55¼; Manhattan L 138½; New York Central 161½; Reading 73¼; do 1st preferred 87; do. 2nd preferred 78½; St. Paul 190¾; do. pref'd, 196¾; Southern Railway 39½; do. pref'd 96½; Amalgamated Copper 68½; Am'n Tobacco —c; People's Gas 107½; Sugar 130½; Tennessee Coal and Iron 70; U. S. Leather 13¾; do. pref'd, 88¾; Western Union 96; U. S. Steel 41½; do. preferred 90½; Nat'l R. R. of Mexico 20¾; Virginia-Carolina Chemical 70¾; do. preferred, 130; Standard Oil, 670 @675.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 18.—Seaboard Air Line, common, 32¾; do. preferred, 51⅞; bonds, fours, 88¼.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—Rosin steady. Spirits turpentine firm at 49¼.

CHARLESTON, Sept. 18.—Spirits turpentine and rosin unchanged

SAVANNAH, Sept. 18.—Spirits turpentine was firm at 46¼c; receipts 1,032 casks; sales 1,443 casks; exports 13,718 casks. Rosin firm; receipts 4,158 barrels; sales 1,117 barrels; exports 13,433 barrels. Quote: A, B, C, D, E $1 25, F, $1 30; F, $1 32½@135; G, $1 40; H, $1 62½; I, $1 82½; K $3 42½; M, $2 92½; N, $3 37½@3 40; W G, $3 57½; W W, $3 87½.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—Cotton market opened steady with prices unchanged to five points lower, this being an indifferent response to weak cables and failure of the predicted cold wave to reach the western belt. In fact, the latter factor appeared to be totally unfounded, for the early weather chart gave mild temperatures pretty much over the entire western portion of the United States. Scattering showers were reported in the central and eastern portion of the country, said by private telegrams to be favorable to the late crop. After a lengthy period of wavering the whole market rallied towards midday and in the afternoon made tremendous headway on a bad scare of prominent Philadelphia, Southern and foreign shorts. The bull leaders made the most of this stampede and rushed January up to 8 80, other options following at their normal differences. The commission houses and room longs sold out in the first hour in expectation of a slump later, on which new ventures could be made to advantage. Speculation in a feverish way was very active and general. The Liverpool market was weak and irregular all day, closing at about the bottom. Belief that a stampede of the shorts there will occur to-morrow caused local traders near the close to take the bull side. Predictions for large export clearances in the near future, and much stronger conditions in Southern spot markets, were more than an offset by heavy receipts at the ports and interior towns. The market at the close was steady with prices net three to eight points higher. Total sales were variously estimated at 650,000 to 750,000 bales, the bulk of which were January contracts.

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—Cotton quiet at 9c; net receipts — bales; gross receipts 51 bales; stock 32,466 bales.

Spot cotton closed quiet and steady; middling uplands 9c; middling gulf 9¼c; sales 775 bales.

Futures market closed steady; September 8.75, October 8.75, November 8 74, December 8.76, January 8.77, February 8.53, March 8.57, April 8.58, May 8.60.

Total to-day—Net receipts 33,532 bales; exports to Great Britain 9,599 bales; exports to France 2,020 bales; exports to the Continent 10,233 bales; stock 293,491 bales.

Consolidated—Net receipts 169,908 bales; exports to Great Britain 34,840 bales; exports to France 14,328 bales; exports to the Continent 11,239 bales.

Total since September 1st—Net receipts 413,541 bales; exports to Great Britain 84,241 bales; exports to France 20,278 bales; exports to the Continent 136,722 bales

Sept. 18.—Galveston, quoted firm at 8¾c, net receipts 14,450 bales; Norfolk, firm at 8¾c, net receipts 1,975 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 8⅞, net receipts — bales; Boston quiet and steady at 9c, net receipts — bales; Wilmington, firm at 8¾c, net receipts 2,339 bales; Philadelphia, firm at 9¼c, net receipts 50 bales; Savannah, steady at 8 5-16c, net receipts 7,458 bales; New Orleans, firm at 8¾c, net receipts 5,280 bales; Mobile, steady at 8 5-16c, net receipts 354 bales; Memphis, firm at 8 7 16c, net receipts 1,557 bales; Augusta, firm at 8 9-16c, net receipts 2,072 bales; Charleston, firm at 8 5-16c, net receipts 1,671 bales.

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PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—Flour was quiet and a shade lower to sell. Wheat—Spot easier; No. 2 red 73¼c. Options closed easy at ½@¾c lower: Sales included: May closed 74⅞c; September closed 74¼c; December 73⅝c. Corn—Spot easy; No. 2 72c. Options closed weak and ½@½c net lower: January 46c; May closed 45⅝c; September closed 66⅜c; October closed 63¾c; December closed 49⅝c. Oats—Spot dull; No. 2 32½c. Options—May closed 35¼c; September closed 35¼c; December 35⅛c. Lard weaker. Western steam $11 80; refined easier; continent $11 00; South American $11 50; compound 7¼@8c. Pork easier; family $20 50@21 00; mess $17 75@18 50; short clear $19 00@21 00. Tallow dull. Eggs quoted steady; State and Pennsylvania 21@22; country candled 22@23c; uncandled 18@20½c. Rice firm. Peanuts firm; fancy hand picked 5¼@5½c; domestic 3½@5⅝. Potatoes firm; Long Island $1 75; South Jersey sweets $2 00@2 50; Jerseys $1 40@1 65; New York, per 180 lbs, $1 75. Coffee-Spot Rio qu

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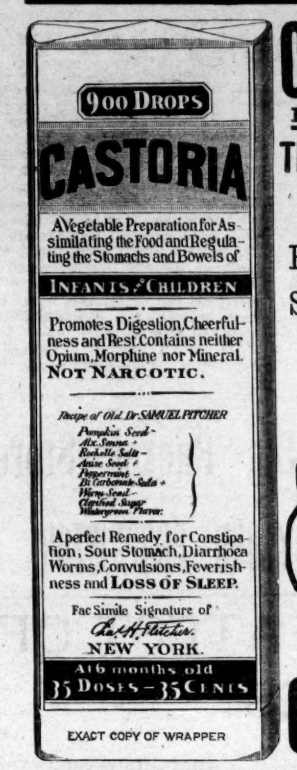
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Harry Edge, the handsome young chief of the Caddo Indians, who recently achieved notoriety by the firmness he displayed in opposing the allotment plan of the lands of the Indian reservations, is one of the most remarkable Indians that ever lived.

Chief Edge was a distinguished character, bidding fair to become a man of

CHIEF EDGE URGED HIS HORSE FORWARD.

importance long before he made himself famous by the position that he took in the most important matter ever acted upon by the various tribes settled on the reservations. He opposed the allotment plan with all the powers of his oratory. But all in vain.

Harry Edge had long ago upon two different occasions won the admiration of the public and the certainty of having his name enrolled in the same columns with heroes who have risked their lives to save others. When he was about seventeen years of age, he performed an act of daring that stamped him as a character of heroic mold. A passenger train plunged through a bridge, and one of the coaches fell into swiftly running water that reached over the top of one end of the car. The passengers, among whom were several women and children, were instantly overwhelmed with the flood. One end of the car was near the bank, and the water hardly covered the platform. If a panic had not prevailed, all the passengers might have easily escaped.

Harry Edge was in the car, and he proved to be the only man who retained his presence of mind. He could have jumped from the platform to the shore, but he sought to rescue others. Rushing back into the water, he dragged women and children along the aisle to the rear platform and pitched them out on the bank. It was afterward remembered that a dozen white men stood out on the bank wringing their hands in hopeless terror. Several women scrambled to a window and threw themselves into the stream. The Indian saw no more people in the car, and he plunged into the water, hoping to save those who were fast floating away. He caught and dragged two girls to a drift, seized another as she was sinking and carried her ashore.

By this time the passengers in the car that had escaped being wrecked had gathered on the shore, and though there were two young girls yet in peril not a man volunteered to swim with Edge to their rescue. Though his teeth were chattering and his muscles ached with cold, he instantly returned to the drift. One of the girls, yielding to fatigue and terror, swooned and slid into the water at the moment when her rescuer was in reach of her. To add to the horror of the situation the drift began to break to pieces. The Indian would have been compelled to have abandoned one of the girls if a brave young man by the name of Harvey from Franklin, Ill., had not swum to his assistance. The Illinois boy was strong, and he carried the apparently lifeless girl ashore. The Indian easily saved the other. Long afterward the Caddo chief learned that this perilous adventure ended well for one of the heroes. He met Mr. Harvey in Washington city, and he was pleased to find that he held an important position and was rather surprised to learn that his good fortune commenced with his marriage to the girl whose life he had saved from the cold waters of Bear creek, in the Indian Territory.

Harry Edge next had the opportunity to show that he is a man of more than ordinary courage when he drew Miss Leona Dare from under the paws of two ferocious African lions in the streets of Vernon, Tex. The daring feat was witnessed by 2,000 or 3,000 people. Texas rangers, armed to the teeth; several policemen, hundreds of mounted cowboys and many old Indian fighters saw the affair over their shoulders, while a dozen showmen, paralyzed with terror, were climbing upon the cages and shouting words of warning to the Indian. "Run for your life, you fool; the lions will eat you up," were the words of encouragement hurled at the daring Caddo brave from the tops of the vans as he boldly galloped between two growling lions loose in the streets and took the body of the young girl from under the very nose of one of the beasts and bore her away to a place of safety.

A remarkable catastrophe which occurred during a circus and menagerie parade furnished the opportunity for the young Indian to display his unflinching courage. Four horses attached to a large omnibus became frightened, and they ran at the top of their speed along the street occupied by the parade. As usual under such circumstances, the wildest excitement prevailed, and the yelling crowds on the sidewalks in their mad efforts to scramble to a place of safety terrified the animals and frightened the show people. The drivers of the vans did not know what had happened, and they urged their horses forward.

The big omnibus collided with a cage that contained two powerful lions and Miss Leona Dare, their tamer. It was hurled across the street and turned over. The bars and framework yielded to the weight of the wagon, and the door flew wide open. Miss Dare was stunned by the shock, and her body was thrown out into the street. One of the lions sprang over the girl, and the other stopped couchant by her side. His eyes were glaring with rage, and his mane fairly bristled as he began to roar and gnash his teeth. The other lion turned and mingled her furious wails with the appalling roar of her mate.

The street was instantly cleared of people, and doors were quickly closed. Those who looked upon the frightful scene from housetops or through windows and showmen who were upon tops of other cages expected to see the poor girl mangled and torn to shreds. None dared to go near the furious beasts. Some were calling the rangers and others shouting for guns. A black horse, with an Indian on his back, shot through the street with the speed of an arrow. Harry Edge had witnessed the wreck from the corner of the next block, and when he saw the girl roll upon the pavement and the lions roaring about her he drove the steel into the flank of his horse, never once thinking of danger. The trained animal, going at the top of his speed, stopped for a second at the side of the lions. The accomplished horseman, with a quick movement, leaned over and picked the girl up from under the very nose of the astonished lion and drew her across his saddle as if she had been a little bundle of feathers. With a wild warwhoop that made the beasts crouch and tremble, the brave young Caddo straightened up in his saddle, and the black horse bounded away. Those who witnessed the daring exploit say that it was done so quickly that they could hardly notice that the well trained horse stopped at all.

During the excited times of the allotment affair, when the border swarmed with people of every nationality and the camps were crowded with desperate adventurers whose only business was to take advantage of the first opportunity to better their fortunes, some of the worst characters in the world imposed upon the Indians. Many of them were simply thieves and robbers. Edge was one of the few chiefs capable of spotting these men. They hated him and frequently planned to murder him, but he outwitted them in every instance. He disarmed and whipped several of them and forced others to leave the country. One big desperado threatened to kill the Caddo chief on sight, and when they met he drew his gun.

THE RASCAL THREW UP HIS ARMS.

There never lived a man on the border who was quicker with his weapons than this active Indian. Before the bad man realized what had happened Harry Edge had sent a bullet through his wrist and his gun was on the ground. When he stooped over, the Indian broke his other wrist with a bullet. The enraged rascal threw up his arms and both hands limp and useless. With a yell, the athletic young chief sprang into the air and landed with his feet on the shoulders of his antagonist. He fired a shot into the air and flung his gun about his head, still standing erect on the shoulders of the helpless desperado, while the crowd that had collected roared with laughter. The humiliated bad man lost no time in leaving the country after escaping from the young chief.

Human Hollowness.

If we look on the doings of a man with a merely worldly eye and pierce below the surface of character, we are apt to feel bitter scorn and disgust for our fellow creatures. We have lived to see human hollowness, the ashes of the Dead sea shore, the falseness of what seemed so fair, the moldering beneath the whited sepulcher, and no wonder if we are tempted to think "friendship all a cheat, smiles hypocrisy, words deceit," and they who are what is called knowing in life contract by degrees as the result of their experience a hollow distrust of men and learn to sneer at apparently good motives—that demoniacal sneer which we have seen, aye, perhaps felt, curling the lip at times.—Robertson.

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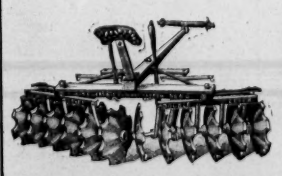

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TRAIN 39 Leaves Wilmington at 2.25 P. M., arrives Lumberton 5.30 P. M., Pembroke 5.45 P. M., Maxton 6.15 P. M., Hamlet 7.15 P. M., Charlotte 10.30 P. M.

TRAIN 40 Leaves Charlotte 4.50 A. M., Hamlet at 8.10 A. M., arrives Maxton 8.52 A. M., Pembroke 9.20 A. M., Lumberton 9.50 A. M., Wilmington 12.15 noon.

WESTBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Hamlet	10.35 p m	7.25 a m
Ar Monroe	12.15 a m	9.05 a m
Ar Charlotte		10.18 a m
Ar Chester	1.35 a m	10.22 a m
Ar Greenwood	5.43 a m	12.30 p m
Ar Athens	6.13 a m	2.50 p m
Ar Atlanta	8.50 a m	4.55 p m

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Ar Columbia	1.05 a m	9.40 a m
Ar Savannah	4.55 a m	3.10 p m
Ar Jacksonville	9.15 a m	7.45 p m
Ar Tampa	5.40 p m	6.45 a m

NORTHBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Lv Hamlet	10.40 p m	8.05 a m
Ar Raleigh	1.30 a m	11.05 a m
Ar Norlina	3.30 a m	1.45 p m
Ar Portsmouth		
Ar Norfolk	7.15 a m	5.35 p m
Lv Hamlet	10.40 p m	8.25 a m
Ar Raleigh	1.30 a m	11.30 a m
Ar Norlina	3.30 a m	1.25 p m
Ar Petersburg	5.54 a m	4.07 p m
Ar Richmond	6.35 a m	4.55 p m
Ar Washington	10.10 a m	8.36 p m
Ar Baltimore	11.25 a m	11.25 p m
Ar New York	4.15 p m	6.30 a m

Train 40 leaving Hamlet at 8.10 a. m. takes passengers from train 31, leaving New York at 12.35 p. m.; Baltimore at 5.45 p. m.; Washington 7.00 p. m.; Richmond 10.37 p. m.; Portsmouth 9.50 p. m.; Norfolk 8.30 p. m.; Raleigh 4.13 a. m. arriving at Hamlet at 7.00 a. m. From train 35, leaving Atlanta 8.00 p. m.; Athens 11.23 p. m.; Chester 4.00 a. m.; Charlotte 4.50 a. m.; Monroe 5.40 a. m.; arriving Hamlet 7.00 a. m.

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Commissioner's Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of New Hanover county, made in the case of D. L. Gore vs. George T. Johnson, et al., the undersigned will expose for sale, to the highest bidder for cash, at the door of the Court House, of New Hanover county, on Monday, the 6th day of October, 1902, at 12 o'clock M., the following described pieces or parcels of land, to-wit: 1st tract: Beginning at W. Ritter's northeast corner, on the Duplin road, and runs thence with said Ritter's line south 83 degrees and 45 minutes west 1,749 feet to his his northwest corner, thence with Ritter's west line south 30 degrees east 440 and ½ feet to Chadwick's northern line, thence south 83 degrees and 45 minutes west with said Chadwick's line to the rice fields 2,674 feet; thence northwardly with the edge of the rice field 660 feet, to a stake; thence north 83 degrees and 45 minutes 4,660 feet, to the Duplin road; thence south 30 minutes east, with said road 215 feet, to the beginning, containing 50 and 31-100 acres, more or less. 2nd tract: Bounded on the northwest and south by the lands of W. F. Potter, formerly S. M. West land; beginning on the Duplin road at a stake at a corner of said Potter's, formerly West's line, running with his line south 82 degrees west 106 poles; thence Potter's line, formerly West's line, southwardly 25 poles; thence another line, West's formerly, now Potter's, north 82 degrees east 106 poles, to the main road; thence north, with said road, to the beginning, containing 17 acres.

This 29th day of August, 1902.

A. H. DUNNING, Commissioner.

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Atlantic Coast Line R. R. Co

Schedule in Effect May 25, 1902.

DEPARTURES FROM WILMINGTON.

DAILY except Sunday 6.00 A. M.: No. 51—Due Lake Waccamaw 7.10 A. M., Chadbourn, 7.41 A. M., Marion 8.45 A. M., Florence 9.35 A. M., Lanes 11.26 A. M., Charleston 1.10 P. M.

DAILY 9.10 P. M.: No. 53—Due Fayetteville A. M. 12.20 P. M., leaves Fayetteville 12.40 P. M., arrives Sanford 1.55 P. M.

DAILY 9.30 P. M.: No. 48—Due Magnolia 11.05 A. M., Warsaw 11.21 A. M., Goldsboro 12.21 P. M., Wilson 1.15 P. M., Rocky Mount 1.53 P. M., Tarboro 2.21 P. M., Weldon 4.55 P. M., Petersburg 6.45 P. M., Richmond 7.45 P. M., Norfolk 5.55 P. M., Washington 11.40 P. M., Baltimore 1.38 A. M., Philadelphia 4.05 A. M., New York 7.13 A. M., *Boston 3.30 P. M.

DAILY except Sunday 2.25 P. M.: No. 62—Due Jacksonville 4.13 P. M., Newbern 5.40 P. M.

DAILY 3.45 P. M.: No. 55—Due Lake Waccamaw 5.03 P. M., Chadbourn 5.40 P. M., Marion 6.55 P. M., Florence 8.15 P. M., Sumter 9.30 P. M., Columbia 10.55 P. M., Denmark 6.31 A. M., Augusta 8.25 A. M., Macon 11.15 A. M., Atlanta 12.35 P. M., Charleston 11.15 P. M., Savannah 3.00 A. M., Jacksonville 8.30 A. M., St. Augustine 10.50 A. M., Tampa 10.00 P. M.

DAILY 7.00 P. M.: No. 49—Due Magnolia 3.36 P. M., Warsaw 3.40 P. M., Goldsboro 3.57 P. M., Wilson 10.30 P. M., *Tarboro 9.34 A. M., Rocky Mount 11.23 P. M., Weldon 1.50 A. M., *Norfolk 1.50 P. M., Petersburg 3.35 A. M., Richmond 4.12 A. M., Washington 7.54 A. M., Baltimore 9.13 A. M., Philadelphia 11.33 A. M., New York 1.53 P. M., Boston 9.00 P. M.

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON.

DAILY 10.10 A. M.: No. 41—From North Richmond.

DAILY 12.15 Noon: No. 63—From Newbern.

DAILY 1.40 P. M.: No. 54—From Tampa, Jacksonville, Charleston.

DAILY 6.00 P M: No. 49—From North Richmond, Wilson.

DAILY 7.30 P M: No. 52—From Sanford, Fayetteville.

DAILY except Sund'y 11.45 P M: No. 50—From Charleston, Florence.

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Time Table No. 16.

To Take Effect Sunday, Oct. 21, 1900, at 12.01 A. M.

GOING EAST. Pass'g'r Trains Arrive	Pass'g'r Trains Leave	STATIONS.	GOING WEST. Pass'g'r Trains Arrive	Pass'g'r Trains Leave
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.
.....	3 40	Goldsboro	11 05	.....
.....	4 32	Kinston	10 12	.....
5 40	5 50	Newbern	8 37	9 00
7 08	7 07	Morehead City	7 22	7 37
P. M.	P. M.		A. M.	A. M.

Train 4 connects with W. & W. train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11.35 A. M., and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsboro 2.00 P. M., and with W. & N. at Newbern for Wilmington and intermediate points.

Train 3 connects with Southern Railway train, arriving at Goldsboro 1.00 P. M., and with W. & W. train from the North at 3.05 P. M. No. 1 train also connects with W. & N. for Wilmington and intermediate points.

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SAGINAW..... Saturday, Sept. 13

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From Wilmington for New York.

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ONEIDA..... Tuesday, Sept. 9

SAGINAW..... Tuesday, Sept. 16

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The Morning Star.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

FRIDAY MORNING SEPT. 19

STREET RAILWAY STRIKE.

Cars Running at Glen Falls, N. Y., Under Protection of Militia and Deputy Sheriffs—Riot Act Read.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

GLEN FALLS, N. Y., September 18.—The twentieth day of the Hudson Valley street railway strike saw a car start from here over this division in charge of deputy sheriffs and militia and manned by non-union men. As the car proceeded north from the power house jeers came from the bystanders. On its progress through the Bank square, the conductor was struck by a bystander and the car stopped, the militia getting off and clearing a space around the car. After a short delay it proceeded.

A car from the power house to Fort Edward was stopped several times by breaks in the trolley wire, and at Sandy Hill a crowd of several thousand assembled. A false alarm of fire was rung and the hose cart run to the track and left standing and no attempt made to place hose on the rails The car was sent ahead and demolished the hose cart.

District Attorney Pratt read the riot act to the crowd, which after a time dispersed. Sheriff Austin called on Captain Dennis of Company I, National Guard, stationed at Whitehall, and that company reached the power house here early, where they are encamped on railway company property near Company K.

AFFAIRS ON THE ISTHMUS

Commander McLean Maintaining Unobstructed Transit—Protecting Trains.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 18.—Secretary of the Navy Moody received the following to-day from Commander Mc Lean of the Cincinnati, at Colon:

"Train for Panama went through with Cincinnati's guard of riflemen and rapid-fire gun. Freight train coming toward Colon stopped by soldiers at sides of track who continuously pointed loaded muskets at the engineer and train hands, demanding opening of locked box cars for inspection; conductor had no key; could not. Went to find some responsible officer, also sent men to flag a following passenger train; menace removed; freight came in with passenger train. Will vigorously protect life and liberty of American and other peaceable employes and maintain unobstructed transit. Have instructed the Ranger to assist me in this duty."

PROBABLY A MURDER.

Nude Body of a Young Woman Found in a Canal Near Jersey City.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—The nude body of a young woman was found in the Morris canal, near Jersey City, to-day. A long hitching strap, to which was attached a twenty-pound iron weight, was around the woman's waist. A wound, apparently a stab wound, about six inches long, was found in the abdomen. Detectives are at work on the case.

Chief of Police Murphy thinks that the girl was wounded in some house, then chloroformed, stripped, placed in a wagon and driven to the canal during the early morning hours. He says the body does not answer to the description of any girl reported missing in Jersey City.

INJUNCTION GRANTED.

To Prevent the Contest Between McGovern and Corbett in Louisville, Ky.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

LOUISVILLE, KY., Sept. 18.—Judge Field, in the Circuit Court to-day, granted the injunction prayed for by State's Attorney General Pratt to prevent the contest between Terry McGovern and Young Corbett, scheduled for next Monday night. The attorneys for the Southern Athletic Club will apply to the Court of Appeals to-morrow for a dissolution of the injunction, and a decision in this matter is expected by noon. A dissolution of the injunction by the appellate court would be a victory for the promoters of the contest.

SPEAKER HENDERSON.

Announcement Made That He Does Not Intend to Resign the Speakership

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

DUBUQUE, IOWA, Sept. 18.—It is announced to-night that Speaker Henderson does not intend to resign the Speakership at the coming session of Congress.

The statement that Speaker Henderson will not resign was made by his secretary in reply to a question, who, however, would say nothing further. Mr. Henderson could not be seen to-night, as he spent the evening at the house of a friend.

BASEBALL.

Scores of Games Played Yesterday by the League Teams.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Philadelphia, 6; Washington, 2.
Baltimore, 2; Washington, 5.
St. Louis, 6; Detroit, 5.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Boston, 8; Philadelphia, 2.
Cincinnati, 2; Chicago, 0.
Pittsburg, 7; St. Louis, 6.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

Little Rock, 3; Birmingham, 9.
New Orleans, 14; Atlanta, 0.

Officials of the Imperial Tobacco Company declare that they have not heard of any proposition to combine with the American Tobacco Company.

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ANOTHER BOXER UPRISING FEARED.

Caused by Extortionate Taxation and Resentment at Presence of Missionaries.

MINISTER CONGER'S ADVICES.

Reports Serious Anti-Foreign Riots in Which a Number of Native Christians Have Been Massacred and Chapels Destroyed.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 18.—China is on the verge of another Boxer uprising which may equal that of 1900, according to mail advices received at the State Department from Minister Conger, dated last month. The troubles appear to arise principally from extortionate taxation combined with resentment against the presence of missionaries.

Mr. Conger's first advices bear date of August 6th, from Pekin, and he reports serious anti-foreign riots near Chen Tu, in the province of Szechuen, in which a number of native Christians had been massacred and chapels destroyed. Mr. Conger appears to have acted energetically upon telegraphic complaints from Dr. Canright, an American medical missionary at Chen Tu, not only addressing the Chinese Foreign Office by letter, but calling there in person to impress upon the officials the importance of an immediate and effective action and finally succeeding in causing the removal of the local Chinese officials who had failed to repress the riots and preserve life and property.

Mr. Conger encloses with his report the communications that passed between himself, Dr. Canright and the Foreign Office. Under date of June 20th, from Chen Tu, Dr. Canright telegraphed: "Szechuen is repeating nineteen hundred; chapel burned; ten Christians killed; Boxers multiplying for four months; officials taxed."

Mr. Conger immediately telegraphed Dr. Canright to demand adequate protection for missionaries and the native Christians from the local officials. He also addressed a note to Prince Ching at the Foreign Office, stating that there were several American missionaries and many chapels and converts in Szechuen, and that it was necessary that immediate provision be taken to stop these troubles in their very inception.

In his answer Prince Ching enclosed a copy of an imperial edict, saying:

"Such fierce and lawless outbreaks should certainly be quickly put down. They must on no account be allowed to spread. We command Kwei Chun to strictly order the troops to disperse the rebels, and their followers; to seize the ring-leaders and to punish them according to the rigor of the law, and so nip the rebellion in the bud."

Another dispatch from the Foreign Office to Mr. Conger, dated July 3rd, states that the viceroy reported that the missionary killed was a Chinese and that quite a number of leading Boxers had been captured and punished and a sharp lookout was being kept for those still at large.

Mr. Conger again had occasion to address the Foreign Office on July 30th, informing them that Dr. Canright had again reported that robberies and massacres were occurring daily; that all were in great danger and that he had demanded protection in vain. The minister urged the Foreign Office to take more effective measures "in order to avoid the fearful responsibility of a further loss of life and property."

A letter of later date from Minister Conger transmits two imperial edicts, ordering several changes among provincial officials as a result of the disturbances. The most important of the changes, Minister Conger states, is the removal of Kwei Chun, viceroy of Szechuen province because of his failure to suppress the recent serious disturbances in the territory under his jurisdiction.

PEKIN, Sept. 18.—The throne has strongly commanded the officials of Szechuen province to suppress the rebellion in that province.

The Boxers' attack on Chen Tu Fu, capital of Szechuen province, in which 50,000 Boxers made ineffectual attempts to take the city, began September 15th. When the rebels endeavored to enter the city a conflict ensued. The attackers were driven back and the gates of the city were closed and guarded by troops. Soldiers quelled the disorder in the city. Fourteen Boxer leaders and several other rebels were executed. A new viceroy and new military officials are now on their way to Chen Tu Fu to assume charge there.

The U. S. minister to China, Mr. Conger, and the French minister are urging the throne to further prompt action towards subduing the rebellion.

COLON, COLOMBIA, Sept. 18.—United States blue jackets, with a small quick-firing gun from the cruiser Cincinnati, continue to accompany each passenger and freight train across the isthmus, notwithstanding the protests against such measures which the Colombian government has lodged with Oscar Maimros, the United States consul here.

There is no definite news of the whereabouts of the insurgent General Herrers, nor signs that the insurgent forces are approaching the isthmus.

FIGHTING IN HAYTI.

Government Forces Defeated After Hard Fighting—Another Battle Imminent.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

CAPE HAYTIEN, HAYTI, Sept. 18.—The forces of the provisional government of Hayti, commanded by the war minister, General Nord, have sustained a severe defeat at Limbe.

General Nord, at the head of 3,000 men, attacked Limbe at 9 o'clock yesterday morning and after desperate fighting, lasting three hours, the general abandoned his positions, guns and war munitions, and left a great number of dead and wounded, including several generals, on the field.

The population of Cape Haytien is in a state of anxiety. The enemy, to the number of 4,000 well armed men, is advancing on the place. Another battle before the town is imminent.

INCENDIARY FIRE.

Coal Mine Buildings at Caperton, Va., Destroyed—Loss $25,000.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHARLESTON, W. VA., Sept. 18.—The power house and stables of the Victoria Coal and Coke Company at Caperton, on New river, were destroyed by fire to-day, involving a loss of $25,000. Yesterday a number of families were evicted from the houses of the Caperton Company. That the fire was the work of incendiaries is generally believed. The mines have been closed since the strike began and were flooded, owing to the inability of the management to keep pumpers at work.

NEGRO LYNCHED BY A MOB IN OREGON.

Was Under Arrest for Assaulting a White Woman—Mob Hanged His Body to a Beam of a Bridge

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

MARSHFIELD, ORE., Sept. 18—Alonzo Tucker, a negro, who assaulted Mrs. Dennis, near Libby yesterday, was lynched to-day. A body of coal miners heavily armed marched into town last evening. The marshal who had Tucker in custody attempted to take him from the jail just as the miners entered and a rush was made for the negro. He managed to give his custodian the slip and jumped under the wharf into the mud flats and eluded both officers and members of the mob until to-day. The miners stationed armed guards at every point of egress from the city. The patrol was kept up all night and at one time there was talk of lynching the officers who allowed Tucker to escape. Every corner of the town was searched and finally two boys located the fugitive under a store. The boys fired at him with air guns and drove him from his hiding place. As he emerged, a ball from a rifle cut him in the right leg. He ran into a store and was found by the miners who started to hang him in the store, but they decided to take him to the scene of the crime. A start was made but the negro died from his wounds and the mob hanged the body to a beam on the South Marshfield bridge. Not a masked man was in the crowd and everything was done in broad daylight.

BUILDING COLLAPSED.

Fifteen People Believed to be Buried in the Ruins—Others Injured.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

MINOT, N. D., September 18—The postoffice building here collapsed this afternoon and is a total wreck. County Treasurer John Lynch and N. Davis, a prominent attorney, were seriously injured, and about fifteen people who were in the building at the time of the collapse are believed to be buried in the ruins. The work of clearing away the debris was commenced at once. So far no bodies have been found, but it is impossible to tell who are in the the ruins. Postmaster Fuegels came out without injury. The loss on the building is estimated at $7,000, while the government's loss is not known. The offices of two weekly papers were in the building and went down with the wreck.

WARM WIRELETS.

The London *Times* this morning announces the apparent serious illness of Lord Salisbury.

Grand Duke Boris, of Russia, sailed from New York for France yesterday on the French liner LaLorraine.

The London, Paris and American Bank of San Francisco has increased its shipment of Australia gold from $750,000 to $1,250,000. The gold is due at San Francisco in the early part of next month.

The cruiser Vineta, of the German imperial navy, sailed yesterday morning for Venezuela, after being completely overhauled at Newport News, Va., the work consuming about three months.

Edwin Jellinik, an official in the cashier's department of the Leader Bank, Vienna, has disappeared from that city. It was discovered that he had defrauded the bank of $315,000 by falsifying checks.

The funeral of Nicholas Fish, banker and diplomat, who died Tuesday in Roosevelt hospital, was held yesterday at St. Mark's Episcopal church, New York city. The interment was at Garrison-on-the-Hudson.

Gov. Longino, of Mississippi, refuses to call the Legislature of the State in special session in order to repeal the co-insurance clause on cotton which has caused much dissatisfaction in the State for some time.

The three-masted schooner Dora Matthew, of New York, bound from Newburyport to New York city, went ashore yesterday morning on Logwood Hill bar, off Chatham, Mass., and will be a total loss. The captain and crew of seven men were taken off in the breeches buoy.

The sub-marine telegraph cable which is to join the United States and Hawaii as the first link in the system to the Philippines has been completed and put on board the cable steamer Silvertown at London, Eng., preparatory to sailing September 20th for San Francisco.

The report which has been current lately that Colombia intended to declare war upon Nicaragua because of the help President Zelaya is alleged to have given the Colombian revolutionists, is discredited and contradicted by Colombia officials stationed in Panama.

The executive committee of the International Sunday School Convention met yesterday in Philadelphia to consider plans for the next regular convention which will be held in Montreal, Canada, in 1905, and to discuss the world's convention of Sunday schools, which it is expected will be held in Jerusalem in 1904.

How to Make the Hair Fluffy.

Coiffeurs are testifying to the value of air as a beautifier and drier by introducing a new method into the shampoo process. The new method of drying renders the hair fluffy, a quality essential to the newest low coiffures. After the hair is washed the shampooer turns on what he calls "compressed air," which is either hot or cold, at his customer's will. The air he blows through the tresses by means of a silver tube, keeping the latter constantly in motion. The result is excellent, for not only is the hair blown dry in a few moments, but there is no tangling of the locks and none of the disagreeable features which the system of drying by gas or other methods often produces, while the saving in time is quite a consideration in this busy age, when every woman has more to do, or at least thinks she has, than she can possibly accomplish.

How to Acquire Personal Influence.

Though so short, the late queen of England possessed a matchless dignity, and many small women are far from unimpressive, says The Ladies' Home Journal. If you desire personal influence only for your own pride of possession and personal pleasure, the wish is unworthy, but one may use such influence to make others happier and better. Wealth, beauty and charm are none of them essential to the influential character. A poor, plain and rather tactless girl may have force enough to count for much in her circle. Charm is within the reach of all girls who are unselfish and gentle.

How to Make Tea Frappe.

Put two teaspoonfuls of tea into one quart of milk; bring this to a boil; let it stand five minutes; strain it and sweeten to taste. When it is cold, put it in the ice cream freezer and freeze to a very soft mush. Serve with whipped cream.

PEARY'S EXPEDITION TO THE FAR NORTH.

Return of the Explorers on the Steamer Windward After Four Years' Absence.

DID NOT REACH NORTH POLE.

But Says That In His Last Dash With That End in View He Made Important Discoveries--Is Certain the Pole Can Be Reached.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SIDNEY, N. S., Sept. 18.—The Peary Arctic Club's relief steamer Windward, with Lieutenant Robert E. Peary on board, arrived at North Sidney at 8:15 this morning from Greenland.

Lieutenant Peary did not succeed in reaching the pole, but he announces that he made important discoveries. When Peary stepped from the Windward to the wharf no one would have supposed that he had braved the rigors of a winter in the Polar regions. His face was bronzed, but looked the picture of health.

Mrs. Peary and her daughter, who had gone with the Windward to meet him, looked well, although the former is just recovering from recent illness.

Dr. Diedrich was on board and quite well. As far as can be learned, the difference between him and Lieut Peary has not been patched up. Dr. Diedrich declined to say anything further at present than that the difficulty between him and Lieut. Peary had not been settled.

Lieut. Peary recovered and brought back the instruments and library abandoned by the Greely expedition. He also brought numerous and rare specimens of natural history. Lieut. Peary sent to the Arctic Club a report of the operations of the expedition since August 9, 1901.

NORTH SYDNEY, C. B., Sept. 18.—Lieutenant Robert E. Peary arrived here to-day on the steamer Windward from the frozen north. He did not discover the North pole during his trip of four years, but he says that in his last dash with that object in view, he made important discoveries. He says he feels certain that the pole can be reached, and furthermore that if he was a man of independent means he would persevere until he succeeded.

The most northerly point reached was 84 degrees 17 minutes in latitude northwest of Cape Hecla. Lieutenant Peary says that the pole can be reached from Franz Josefland, and from Grantland in latitude 33 degrees if the Winter quarters are established as far north as possible. He says that he would just as soon Winter at Cape Hecla as at Sabina or Etah.

"The year at Payer harbor," he says: "was passed comfortably, though an anxious strain, caused by the ravages of disease among my faithful people, was not light. Food was abundant and our supply of musk ox and deer meat continued throughout the year. The northern sledge trip in the Spring was arduous, but not marked by special exposure, suffering or danger more than is necessarily incidental to serious Arctic work.

"Equipment and personnel were satisfactory and further advance was vetoed by insuperable natural conditions. The Windward has on board the instruments, chronometers and Arctic library abandoned by the Greely expedition and numerous specimens of natural history, bear, musk ox, reindeer and walrus skins.

"The skeleton of a two-horned narwhal, a rare Arctic specimen, also living specimens of musk ox, walrus, Arctic hare and Eskimo dog, also are on board.

"The anchor and chain lost by the Erik last Summer is on board. The Fram left Godhoun about August 20th home bound. She has been in Soner sound, from whence it is understood explorations were made to the northwest. One death (a fireman) is reported since. Others on board are said to be well. The little schooner Forget-Me-Not, which was caught in the ice at Cape Haven last year, is now on her way to St. John."

Peary will go to New York to-morrow and the Windward will probably go to New Foundland for the Winter.

HOW TO LAY CARPETS.

And Some Hints on Beating, Cleaning and Brushing Them.

The right way to treat a good carpet is to lay it carefully on a soft bedding of thick layers of newspapers or of brown paper. The printers' ink on newspapers is disliked by the clothes moth, which will avoid carpets with such linings as a place unsuitable for the laying of its eggs. Thus thick folds of newspapers laid evenly will not only provide a means for using up old papers, give a thick underfooting for the floor, but relieve the housewife of one source of worry—moths in her best carpet.

The papers should be renewed each time the carpet is taken up, says the Boston Traveler. It is best to have the carpet cleaned and relaid by professional cleaners from any furniture shop yearly, as this plan, which is cheap enough, prevents much straining and havoc made with the carpet in taking up, beating, cleaning and putting down again.

In ordinary cleaning the carpet, as a rule, is very badly treated by the usual carpet brushes, which are far too stiff to use on good carpets. When a carpet is swept by a vigorous hand wielding one of these brushes, quite half the contents of the dustpan will be pure nap, not unsparingly from the carpet. This is very bad policy indeed, but the usual carpet brushes are responsible for the threadbare look of nearly all floor coverings. A brush like a clothes-brush kept for the purpose of carpet sweeping would be a good investment.

The carpet must be brushed the way of its nap too. This is an item seldom considered at all by a sweeper, but it is important. Nap dragged daily the wrong way weakens and is pulled out. Yard by yard the carpet should be gone over with the brush and all stains noted daily.

Grease marks should be scraped with a knife to remove all loose particles; then fuller's earth rubbed over the place will absorb any oil left. When the fuller's earth is swept up, a sponge dipped in ammonia water will rub out any remaining stain.

How to Clean a Clock.

One of my clocks began to give jerky ticks and then refused to go altogether, says a writer in Good Housekeeping. I placed a cloth saturated with kerosene in the bottom of the clock, and the fumes arising loosened the dirt, oil and grit from the works, precipitating them to the bottom. I used a clean white bit of old muslin, so when the dirt began to drop I knew it by the dirty color of the rag. I removed it and in a day or two placed another saturated rag in the bottom of the clock. The fumes this time, as the dirt had all dropped, lubricated the works, and my clock has ticked along right merrily ever since.

Licking Her Stamps.

We find the following anecdotes in a Naples paper: "At the postoffice yesterday, amid the large crowd gathered around the window, was a young English lady, handsome, well dressed and accompanied by her maid. The young lady had just purchased some stamps and was about to affix them to a number of letters which she held in her hand. Delicately tearing off a stamp, she said to her maid, 'Pull (sic) out your tongue.' And the maid, with English impassivity, thrust forth her tongue, while the mistress passed over it a postage stamp, which she subsequently stuck on a letter. She went through the entire package of letters, and for each one the obedient waiting maid thrust out her tongue for the mistress to moisten the stamp. Curious manners these English people have."

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We also have a full stock of mattings for 8c, 10c, 15c, 18c, 20c and 25c; art squares from $3 to $10 each. One piece damaged moquet carpet for stairs and halls, goods worth $1 per yard, slightly damaged, now 50c; floor oil cloths, 4-4, 6-4 and 8-4 wide; 500 pair of blankets from 23c each up to $5 a pair; ladies ready to wear hats from 60c up.

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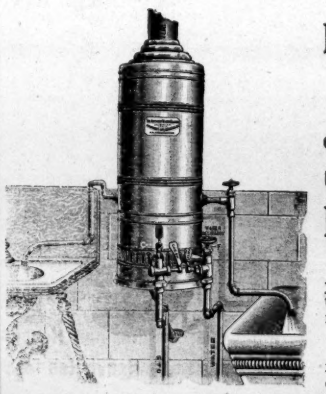

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RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and discounts	$ 690,689 62	Capital stock	$ 200,000 00
U. S. Bonds	207,000 00	Profits less expenses	48,242 03
Five per cent. redemption fund	7,800 00	Circulation	156,950 00
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